

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1. (Currently Amended). A system for providing voice generated prescriptions ~~wireless voice activated data retrieval~~ comprising:

an input/output device which includes a user interface for receiving the voice of a user and converting it to a first data stream, said input/output device including a communication system for transferring said first data stream over a wireless communication link to a remote server system;

a remote server system for receiving said first data stream from the input/output device over said wireless communication link, said server system configured for processing the first data stream, exchanging data information with a database search engine and a database to verify the accuracy of the data in said first data stream based on data stored in the database, and transmitting a second data stream representative of a prescription back to said input/output device over said wireless communication link ~~and verification of the data in said first data stream based upon data stored in said database said server system including a programming interface, remote from said input/output device, said remote server~~ having a speech recognition search engine for receiving said first data stream and converting it to text data representative of a prescription and providing said text data to said database search engine and generating said second data stream based upon said prescription representative data and data stored in a said database, accessible by said remote server.

2. (Previously Presented). The system in claim 1, wherein the input/output device is a wireless hand-held device.

3 - 7. (Canceled).

8. (Previously Presented). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein said database includes related information, thereby enabling the server system to compare information in the first data with information stored in the database to verify the accuracy of the data in the first data stream.

9. (Previously Presented). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein the input/output device further includes a compression mechanism for compressing the first data stream.

10. (Currently Amended). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein the input/output device further further includes an encryption mechanism for encrypting the first data stream.

11. (Previously Presented). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein the server system further includes a decompression mechanism for decompressing said first data stream.

12. (Previously Presented). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein the server system further includes a decryption mechanism for decrypting said first data stream.

13. (Previously Presented). The system as recited in claim 1, wherein said server system is configured to compare information in said first data stream with information stored in the database to verify the accuracy of the data in said first data stream.

14-28. (Canceled).

29. (Currently Amended). A method for enabling a healthcare professional to verify certain information relating to a ~~prescription for~~ a patient, the method comprising the steps of:

(a) providing the health care professional with a hand-held device configured to receive voice input from said health care professional and convert said voice input to a first data stream representative of patient information and transmit for transmission said patient representative information to a remote server;

(b) providing ~~various~~ patient information on a database, accessible by said health care professional by way of said hand held device over a wireless communication link;

(c) providing a remote server for receiving said first data stream from said hand-held device and converting it to text data in order retrieve patient data from said database; and

(d) returning patient data retrieved data from said data base to said hand held device.